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- ☐ original ☐ design ☐ supplemental
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My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am the original, first, and sole inventor (*if only one name is listed below*) or an original, first, and joint inventor (*if plural names are listed below*) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

METHOD FOR PRODUCING BEER

the specification of which:

- ☐ is attached hereto.
☒ was filed on October 8, 1999, as Serial No. 09/402,721 and was amended on _____ (*if applicable*).
☐ was filed by Express Mail No. _____ as Serial No. not known yet, and was amended on _____ (*if applicable*).
☐ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. _____ filed on _____ and as amended under PCT Article 19 on _____ (*if any*).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claim(s), as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

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COUNTRY	APPLICATION	DATE OF FILING (day,month,year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 USC 119			
Austria	A596/97	08.04.97	X	YES		NO
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				YES		NO

I hereby claim the benefit pursuant to Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of the following United States provisional application(s):

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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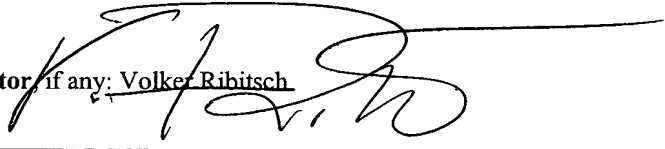
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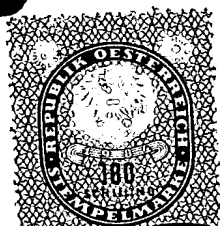

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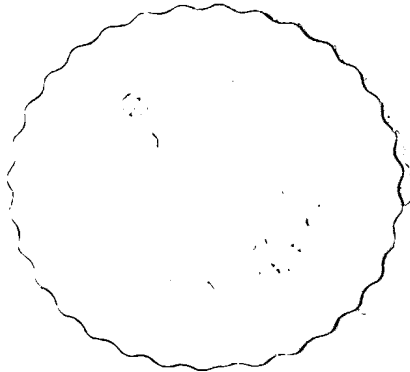
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Der Notar fragte den Erschienenen nach einer Vorbefassung im Sinne von § 3 I, Ziffer 7 BeurkG. Diese Frage wurde von dem Erschienenen verneint.

Vorstehende, heute vor mir im Hause der Firma Pall GmbH,
Philipp-Reis-Str. 6, 63303 Dreieich, vollzogene Namensunterschrift des
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wohnhaft Frankensteiner Straße 58, 64297 Darmstadt,
der sich auswies durch seinen Personalausweis, beglaubige ich hiermit.

Dreieich, den 16. Dezember 1999




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